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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re Application of Anthony Atala, et al. Application Number 09/114810 Filed July 13, 1998 For: ULTRASOUND-MEDIATED DRUG DELIVERY Group Art Unit 3763 Examiner Rodriguez, Cris Loiren This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired): One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) RECEIVED Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) MAR I I 2003 \$ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700 \$ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ 985.00 A Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 985.00 A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Commissioner has laready been authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 12-0080 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). X attorney or agent of record. Attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). March 6, 2003 Date NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below				`	CIVIZ-117	RUE	
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